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Ms. Mary T. Smith Director, Field Operations and Support Division (EN-397F) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 401 M Street SW Washington, D.C. 20460

Dear Ms. Smith,

Enclosed are copies of letters from two of the principal oil firms in Canada. The letters state a successful use of MMT in Canada; point out that no catalyst problems attributable to MMT have been encountered; and state that auto companies have presented no evidence of catalyst damage attributable to MMT.

No copies of the PetroCanada letter (dated 26 June 1990) or the Imperial Oil - Esso letter (dated 18 July 1990) have apparently been sent to the HiTEC 3000 docket (A-90-16). At least none were present as of 1000 hours, 10 Aug 1990.

These copies are provided for the record in the event the original letters failed to reach you. We would appreciate their inclusion in the docket.

Sincerely,

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James Caldwell, Acting Chief, Field Opns & Compliance Policy cf: Branch Clerk of the Docket (File A-90-16)